

September

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Library Card Sign-Up Month Banned Books Week, September 24 through October 1 Self-Improvement Month Native American Month Hispanic Heritage Month <i>Reading is not a duty, and has consequently no business to be made disagreeable.</i> (Augustine Birrell)				1 How big is a terabyte? Where could you find the answer?	2 What U.S. city is the birthplace of skateboarding?	3 Now's the time to make your reading journal for this school year. (Here's a template .)
4 Write a poem about a house. Use <i>there</i> , <i>they're</i> , and <i>their</i> in your poem.	5 Labor Day NO SCHOOL!!!	6 Share your "house" poem with your teacher. Can you find other house poems in the library?	7 Practice your dictionary skills: Find the definition of <i>frugivorous</i> .	8 In your reading journal, keep a list of unfamiliar words and definitions. Add <i>frugivorous</i> to the list.	9 In your journal make a list of the different types of books you'd like to read this year. Ex. fantasy, mystery	10 How many words can you make with <i>e,i,r,s,t,d,p</i> ? (Hint: you should find at least 61!)
11 Become a food detective. How many calories and fat grams are in your favorite food?	12 How long would you have to exercise to burn off the calories in your favorite food?	13 1857: Milton Hershey's birthday. In your journal describe your favorite candy. Is it chocolate?	14 National anthem composed by Francis Scott Key. Can you sing this song?	15 In your journal, write about what the first day of school was like this year.	16  Constitution Day celebration. Visit Constitution Day, Inc. for more information.	17 What company introduced the first line of frozen foods in 1930? (It's still popular today!)
18 Read the Sports Section of today's paper. How's your favorite college football team doing?	19 Volunteer to read a story to another class in your school.	20 Read <i>Woman for President: The Story of Victoria Woodhull</i>	21 Who would you like to see as President? Write a campaign ad for him or her.	22 If you were on a deserted island, what one book would you want? Why? Write your answer in your journal.	23 Find a book about transportation in your library. How many types of transportation have you used?	24 Is your reading log up to date? Here's a template you can use.
25 1513-Balboa discovered the Pacific Ocean. Read a biography of Balboa.	26 Happy Birthday, Johnny Appleseed. How many ways can you eat an apple?	27 Finish this simile: "Pouring cereal sounds like..."	28 In your journal, write a story about the first time you knew you could read!	29 First American baseball game played in 1890. Who were the teams?	30 What did you do to make yourself a better person this month?	

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